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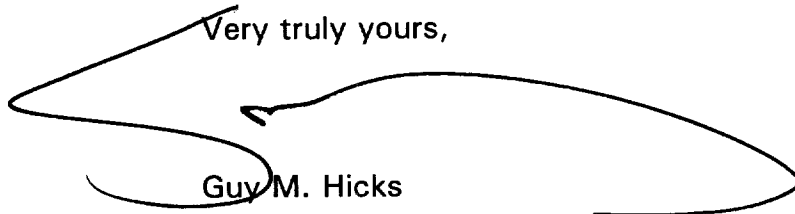
Re: *Petition for Withdrawal of Temporary Waiver of Physical Collocation in  
the Dickson Central Office*  
Docket No. 00-00358

Dear Mr. Waddell:

Enclosed are the original and thirteen copies of BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Petition for Withdrawal of Temporary Waiver.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,



Guy M. Hicks

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Enclosure

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY  
Nashville, Tennessee

In Re:        *Request for Withdrawal of Temporary Waiver of Physical Collocation  
                 in the Dickson Central Office.*

Docket No. 00-00358

**WITHDRAWAL OF PETITION FOR TEMPORARY WAIVER**

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"), hereby files this Withdrawal of its Petition for Temporary Waiver of Physical Collocation in the Dickson Central Office.

On May 24, 2000, BellSouth filed its Petition for Temporary Waiver in accordance with the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and applicable Federal Communications Commissions Orders.<sup>1</sup> The Tennessee Regulatory Authority decided on September 12, 2000<sup>2</sup> to grant BellSouth's Petition subject to certain reporting requirements. BellSouth anticipates that construction of an addition to the Dickson Central Office which provides additional space to be used for future physical collocation as well as for BellSouth's power, switching, and circuit equipment will be completed on July 9, 2001.

Based on the foregoing, BellSouth requests that the withdrawal of its Petition for Temporary Waiver be effective July 9, 2001.

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<sup>1</sup> 1996 Telecommunications Act, Section 251(c) (6); FCC's First Report and Order, Implementation of the Local Competition Provisions of the Telecommunications Act of 1996, CC Docket No. 96-98, Released August 8, 1996 Paragraphs 602-607.

<sup>2</sup> An Order reflecting this approval was entered January 18, 2001.

This <sup>4</sup>20 day of June, 2001.

Respectfully submitted,

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